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## TELEGRAPHIC.

### THE CABINET MEETS.

**Parliament May Be Called Shortly And General Elections May Not Take Place Until Next Summer.**

(Bulletin Special Dispatch.)

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—The cabinet met all afternoon yesterday. Nothing definite was given out, but the general impression now is that parliament will be called at an early date and that the general elections will not take place until the summer months.

### STAMPING OUT VICE

**The Winnipeg Police Commissioners Take Drastic Measures to Stamp Out Vice in That City.**

(Bulletin Special Dispatch.)

Winnipeg, Jan. 11.—The most drastic measures are being taken by the new police commissioners to stamp out vice in Winnipeg. Their first meeting was held at 4 o'clock on Saturday afternoon and at seven o'clock in the afternoon the police gathered in 89 women from the Red Light district, who were tried summarily before Magistrate Daly and heavily fined. The magistrate, in passing sentence, said that the colony had ceased to exist and the inmates must find other means of livelihood or leave the city. The police commissioners are determined that sporting houses, for twenty-two years protected by the police, must close; and this is only the first step in the fulfillment of this resolution.

### AFFAIRS IN THE EAST.

**Bennett Burleigh, the Veteran War Correspondent, Sends His View of the Far Eastern War Situation.**

(Bulletin Special Dispatch.)

London, Eng., Jan. 11.—The war situation is unchanged. Bennett Burleigh cables the Daily Telegraph as follows: "Tokio—Everything points to the approach of war. Personally I agree with this view, but there may be a reason for this little delay before an outbreak." This is his gist of the war situation.

### NEWS OF THE WORLD.

**Condensed Dispatches Dealing with the Day's Most Important Happenings.**

Winnipeg, Jan. 11th.

**RAILWAY MAGNATE'S OPINION.**  
"Jim" Hill advocates reciprocity by the United States with Canada.

**IROQUOIS THEATRE ENQUIRY.**  
The enquiry into the Iroquois theatre disaster brought out that some gates barred the exits from the Iroquois theatre at the time of the horrible accident.

**GOVERNMENT WILL REBUILD SCHOOL.**  
The government will rebuild the industrial school at Qu'Appelle.

**EXPLOSION KILLS SEVERAL.**  
Six men were killed and three injured in an explosion at Michel.

**TRAINLOAD OF SILK.**  
A special train passed through Winnipeg carrying \$215,000 worth of silk.

**OTTAWAS DEFEAT VIO.**  
The Ottawa hockey team defeated the Montreal Vics by a score of 10 to 6.

**MORE TROUBLE FOR AMES & CO.**  
Ames & Co. are unable to meet the payment on their liabilities falling due on Jan. 15th.

**WANT POWER TO EXTEND ROAD.**  
Canadian Pacific Railway solicitors are applying for a charter to extend the Delta branch, south of Lake Manitoba.

**FIFTY LIVES LOST.**  
Fifty-two lives were lost in the foundering of the passenger packet Clallam, in Juan de Fuca straits.

**NEW COUNCIL TAKES ACTION.**  
The Thomas street resorts in Winnipeg were raided and 89 inmates arrested. The resorts will be closed permanently.

**MRS. MAYBRICK WILL BE SET FREE.**  
The British government has announced that Mrs. Maybrick will be released this year.

**JAPAN AND RUSSIA.**  
Late cables state that war between Russia and Japan will only be delayed a short time. Japan does not share in European optimism.

**WINNIPEG LUMBERMAN HITS BACK AT THE C. P. R.**  
Mr. D. E. Sprague in reply to an announcement of the policy of the C. P. R. to build and operate mills in the consumers' interests charges the company with exorbitant freight rates.

## PASSENGER BOAT SINKS.

**Passenger Steamer Sinks Near Victoria With Loss of Life Amid Very Sad Circumstances.**

(Bulletin Special Dispatch.)

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 11.—Fifty-two lives were lost yesterday by the sinking of the steamer Clallam in a storm that swept over the Straits of Juan de Fuca and the Pacific coast. The vessel was a regular daily passenger packet plying between Port Townsend and Victoria. She made good progress until near the entrance to the harbor, when a wave drove in her and she began to sink. The women and children were put in boats, but had only time to get into them when they were upset and not one was saved. The tug from here went to her assistance, but the packet sank before all were rescued.

## IMPORTANT MEETING.

**A Large And Enthusiastic Meeting of Farmers Was Held at Poplar Lake—Important Resolutions.**

At the call of Mr. Wilson, overseer of Belmont local improvement district, a meeting of ratepayers of Horse Hills, Belmont, Poplar Lake, Turpin Lake and Sturgeon, was held to discuss the new local improvement ordinance.

Mr. Geo. Long was elected chairman and P. H. F. McKinnon, secretary. After a somewhat lengthy discussion the following resolution, proposed by Mr. Stacey and seconded by C. Burwell, was carried unanimously: In His Honor, Lieutenant Governor A. E. Forget, Regina:

"Resolved that this representative meeting of ratepayers in these surrounding townships hereby protest against the manner of altering the local improvement ordinance, being of the opinion that it is inadvisable to increase the size of the small districts."

A resolution was proposed, seconded, carried unanimously and after being put in the form of a petition, signed by all present. It is now at Stacey's hardware store, Edmonton, where it will be left until Wednesday for other bona fide settlers to sign it. The petition is as follows:

To His Honor, Lieutenant Governor A. E. Forget:

"We, the undersigned ratepayers of those portions of the following townships, namely townships 33 and 34, in ranges 23 and 24, west of the 4th meridian, petition that we be formed into a local improvement district, with boundaries as described, as these townships can be worked more economically than by being included with the townships in range 25, west of us; as those townships include the village of St. Albert; and for other reasons stated in the accompanying letter."

It was moved by W. A. Wilson, seconded by Geo. Bull, that this meeting request the Edmonton Board of Trade to approach the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to give this country free transportation of seed grain, oats especially. The motion was unanimously carried, put in the form of a petition, and extensively signed.

## THE MARKETS.

Butter.—The price paid for butter is 25c a pound, but on account of its scarcity, merchants are offering two cents more.

Eggs.—Eggs are scarce at 30c per dozen.

Potatoes.—Potatoes are plentiful at 25c per bushel.

Hay.—The market is kept well supplied in hay. Prices range from eleven to eleven dollars a ton. From five to eight dollars a ton is given for green feed.

Wheat.—Upwards of two thousand bushels of wheat per day is being brought in. The quality varies greatly. From 40 to 50c a bushel is paid. Oats.—Feed oats bring from 20 to 25c a bushel, and milling oats 25c a bushel.

Beef.—Cattle are bought chiefly by the head at the rate of about two and a half cents a pound.

Hogs.—The price ranges from four to four and a half cents a pound, live weight.

Poultry.—Turkeys bring 12c per pound, dressed; ducks and chickens, 10c per pound, dressed.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**E. J. TAYLOR**  
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Houses built to suit purchasers with small cash payment down. Personal address, E. J. TAYLOR, Box 415, of the firm, Johnson & Co. Real estate Agents.

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Small house, kitchen, attic and cellar, \$6 a month. Also small broncho team, well broken, for sale. I want second hand harness for team of ponies. Apply Geo. McKinlay, on 5th street, opposite Hardisty's house, or slope of hill, or by letter to the Bulletin office.

LOST.  
Persian Lamb Gaudet in Edmonton. Finder leave at this office. d-6-18-c.

## Tenders Wanted

Tenders will be received up to 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, the 30th January, 1904, for the construction of a branch bank building for the Bank of Montreal at Edmonton, Alta. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the bank in Edmonton. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders to be forwarded to the bank at Edmonton. d-6-18.

WANTED.  
Capable woman to do washing once a week. Best wages paid. Apply to J. L. Studthorne. d-6-18.

WANTED TO RENT.  
Small house and stable. Must be cheap. Apply Box 43, this office. d-6-7-pd.

WANTED.  
An experienced general servant. Apply at once to Mrs. Graydon, 3rd street. d-6-18.

## Public Meetings

Public meetings will be addressed by Frank Oliver, M. P., on the questions arising out of the recent session of parliament at

ROSEBIDGE SCHOOLHOUSE.  
Tuesday, Jan. 12th, at 8 p.m.  
GLORY HILL SCHOOLHOUSE.  
Thursday, Jan. 14th, at 2.30 p.m.  
SPRUCE GROVE HALL.  
Thursday, Jan. 14th, at 8 p.m.

MEWASSIN.  
Friday, Jan. 15th, at 8 p.m.  
NORTH VIEW SCHOOLHOUSE.  
Saturday, Jan. 15th, at 8 p.m.  
JOSEPHSBURG SCHOOLHOUSE.  
Monday, Jan. 18th, at 2 p.m.

GOODHOPE.  
Monday, Jan. 18th, at 7 p.m.  
CASTLE SCHOOLHOUSE.  
Tuesday, Jan. 19th, at 2 p.m.  
BRUDERHEIM, LESLIE'S HOUSE.  
Tuesday, Jan. 19th, at 7 p.m.

WOSTOK.  
Wednesday, Jan. 20th, at 2 p.m.  
BEAVER LAKE POST OFFICE.  
Thursday, Jan. 21st, at 8 p.m.  
A German speaker will speak with Mr. Oliver here.

FAIRWOOD SCHOOLHOUSE.  
Friday, Jan. 22nd, at 7 p.m.  
ROSS CREEK.  
Saturday, Jan. 23rd, at 7 p.m.

## Daly and Linsdays

Semi-Anthracite Furnace Coal

\$3.50 per ton, at W. H. Hooper Company's real estate office. Delivered by union teams to any part of the city. The mine has been worked for years, is in a high state of development. The rusty and soft coal formations have been worked through, therefore it is practically semi-anthracite. Telephone 112.

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For One Week Only

**THE EDMONTON MUSIC COMPANY.**

Having no longer suitable room for our sheet music we have decided to dispose of over 100 Fifty cent sheets at 15 cents each.

These include the latest vocal and instrumental pieces issued during the last three months.

Our stock of Stationery and School supplies is now complete.

Your patronage is respectfully solicited.  
**Picard & Guenette**  
Jasper Avenue.

## J. T. BLOWEY



You will find some of the nicest things in Edmonton at this store ever brought into Edmonton. They are pieces of art furniture. They look like the popular fancy, and like the cut they are going. We have a very heavy stock of furniture and carpets. Buy for two large stores, so have an advantage. Come and see us.

**J. T. BLOWEY.**  
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## MATTERS POLITICAL.

Ponoka Herald.

That the country is soon to be cast into the throes of a Dominion election is now an established fact. With this fact in mind it behooves every intelligent and progressive citizen of the country—and indeed every new settler in the country whose intention it is to become a citizen—to look into the questions of the day and as far as possible obtain an intelligent knowledge of Canadian politics, at least so far as they concern the interests of the great Canadian West. Politics here are essentially different from what the most of us have been accustomed to while citizens of the great republic to the south of us. Yet as a loyal citizen of the country of our adoption and under whose flag we hope to live and prosper, it becomes the duty of all to study the questions of the day and prepare themselves to cast an intelligent ballot when given the privilege of exercising our right of franchise at the polls. As is well known perhaps to all, there are in Canada, much the same as in the United States, two great and leading political parties. Every citizen enjoying the right of franchise will be called upon to affiliate himself with one or the other of these two parties. There can be no such thing as a man belonging to neither party. The platforms of the two parties include all the leading questions at issue concerning the nation and every true voter will be in duty bound to unite himself with one or the other. The world and the people at large have little use for a man without the courage of his convictions and afraid to express those convictions whenever called upon to do so. For that reason alone every true and intelligent voter will be forced to express himself as in harmony with either the Conservative or Liberal Reform party—the two great political organizations in existence in Canada today.

What is true of an individual is equally true except, if possible, with more importance, with the newspapers of the country. In this enlightened age when the newspaper is read in every home, people look upon the press as their only source of information along the lines of the political as well as the commercial development of the country.

Since the Herald has been in existence in Ponoka, there has been no such thing as a Dominion election, hence practically no necessity for an expression of opinion either one way or the other. Coupled with this fact it will be admitted that many of our constituents have been new settlers in the country who have not enjoyed the full rights of citizenship. But now it is different. Many of the people will at the forthcoming election be called upon for the first time to exercise their sacred right of franchise and it is timely that all should begin a careful study, both pro and con, of the leading questions at issue.

After careful consideration and study for the past number of years, the writer has come to the conclusion that we can conscientiously affiliate ourselves with the principles and policy advocated by the Liberal party as existing in Canada today. Consequently we have endorsed these principles and will hereafter in our own feeble way endeavor to further the interests of this great party, reserving always the right to an independent stand and not bound by any party affiliation to endorse anything in our opinion contrary to the interests of the country and especially of the essentially farming community in which we live.



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in just the right way and just the right price is what we can do.

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Edmonton school of Physical Culture now open. A full and thorough course of gymnastics and physical instruction, using Sandow's special apparatus. An increase of muscular development guaranteed. Commence at once. Terms \$5 a quarter. Arthur Hencher, instructor. 1-3-5-pd.

## SITUATION WANTED.

I want a position as salesman or cashier; I mean to get one. I can do the work as well as anyone else, perhaps better. Am not afraid of work; fond of it; smart at it; cheerful over it. Am a business man thirty-three, educated, married, steady. I know something about advertising, too; that should be some use. I am not conceited, but I want to attract attention and offers. Apply Box 41, this office. 4-1-2-pd.

Ladies \$25 Astrakhan coats for \$20 at W. Johnstone Walker's.

Monkey Brand Soap removes all stains, rust, dirt or tarnish—but won't wash clothes.

## NOTICE.

Sons of England Benefit Society will hold open lodge in Haurston's hall Monday, Jan. 18th. All Englishmen cordially invited. 4-1-1-e 4-20-22-e

## DRIVER FOR SALE.

Single driver, good stepper and stylish appearance, suitable for lady. Apply Hutton's big barn. 4-4-5-pd.

## NOTICE

The Canadian joint freight classification. Any merchant having a grievance re freight classification, Schedule No. 12, is requested to send in to the undersigned, within two weeks from date, a written explanation of the matter, when further action will be taken by the Board.

F. FRASER TIMS,  
Secretary Edmonton Board of Trade  
4th January, 1904.  
4-4-15-e

## TEACHER WANTED.

For Bon Accord school. Apply, stating qualifications and salary expected to undersigned. Duties to commence at once. Geo. Carleton. Bon Accord post office. 4-4-11-aw-20-22-e

Fur coats at great reductions at W. Johnstone Walker's.

## TENDERS WANTED.

The purchase of westerly 30 feet of lot 77, block 3, E.B.N., on Jasper Ave. at rear of Presbyterian church. Tenders will be received up to Jan. 12, 1904. \$100 deposit must accompany each tender. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Address tenders to J. Whitelaw, Secretary Board of Management Presbyterian church 4-2-9-e

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HERE'S A STARTER FOR 1904  
FLOUR

Like everybody else we have sadly realised that through an unusual accident our wheat crop has been partly destroyed; this and the large immigration of last year, will increase the demand for flour far in excess of the possible local production. Under the circumstances the salvation to better our present situation was to look abroad, so we did; and we were fortunate enough to secure large quantities of flour at a comparatively low figure, of which we give the benefit to our customers and the public.

## HENCE DOWN GOES THE PRICE

1st Hungarian Patent, \$2.65  
2nd Strong Bakers \$2.25 single bags  
" " " \$2.20 in lots  
3rd Assiniboia \$1.65 (grade next to Strong Bakers)

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The Proof Of The Pudding Is In The Eating Of It.  
We have a car in and more will follow regularly. Bear in mind that this is not to run opposition to anybody but simply to supply our customers and the public with their daily bread, like everything else in our stores, at the lowest possible figure. When coming for your flour do not forget to bring a list of all your wants. We can fill your order from beginning to end. We have the best and largest stock of Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Ready Made Clothing, and Hardware, in the country.

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FERRY & MACLEOD.

Siberian Buffalo coats, men's, only \$22, at W. Johnstone Walker's.

Phone No. 124 for Stewart's coal.

Ladies \$35 Astrakhan coats only \$28 at W. Johnstone Walker's.

TO LET.  
Small house on Isabella street, west of school. Apply corner of Isabella and First street.  
4-1-1-f.

## \$5 REWARD.

For information leading to conviction of parties detaining or harboring black Newfoundland dog, white on breast, answering to name Bruno. Leave word at this office.

## LOST.

Thursday morning about 11 o'clock, \$15 between Jasper House and the post office 'the owner being a poor woman and as her husband is in the hospital at present, she is hoping to recover the money. Finder leave at this office for Mrs. Nina Gila.  
4-1-1-f.

Insist on Stewart's coal. It's the best.

If you have any Saskatchewan gold you wish to dispose of, bring it here. If you want any special article made from river gold, this is the place to get it. We make a specialty of ordered work, also carry a nice line suitable for Christmas presents. Note the address, Jackson, Manufacturing Jeweler, directly opposite McManus & Co.'s shoe store.

Ladies \$55 Coon coats for \$40, at W. Johnstone Walker's.

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A Large Stock of the Best Make to  
Choose From.

Buy Early and make money all Winter.

## Kelly &amp; Beals,

A Good Stock of Cutters and Sleighs  
on hand.





## LOCAL.

—L. O. L. No. 1794 meets tonight.  
—Train left Red Deer on time.  
—The Sons of England will give an At Home a week from tonight, Jan. 18th.

—The annual meeting of the Presbyterian church, will be held on Wednesday evening, Jan. 13th.  
—We are compelled to hold over interesting notes from Alberta College and other local matter for tomorrow's issue.

—The curling games for tonight in the Calgary Brewing cup competition are J. A. McLean vs. Cushing; Rae vs. Stovel; Stewart vs. Campbell.

—Communication has been established between Calgary and Edmonton on the Bell long distance telephone line. The line is now in regular working order.

—A Liberal convention for the purpose of nominating a candidate to contest the Strathcona electoral district, will be held in Strathcona on Wednesday evening, January 20th.  
—A meeting of the young men of the town will be held in Hourston's hall tomorrow evening at eight o'clock for the purpose of taking steps to form a Young Men's Christian Association in Edmonton.

—Evangelist Rodger will continue the meetings this week in the Presbyterian church. The subject for this evening's address will be "The Pleasures of Sin." The Young Peoples' society will provide special music and will assist the choir. All are invited to attend.

—The Edmonton juvenile hockey club left Calgary this morning after several vain attempts to induce a Calgary junior team to take the ice against them. When Calgary saw the brand of hockey our juvenile team put up in the exhibition match she refused to play any but her first team. Edmonton juveniles may play Lacombe or Wetaskiwin an exhibition match tonight.

—The Strathcona Plaindealer is advertising a night service on the Edmonton district telephone line in Strathcona. It further says: "When a night service is being asked for a better day service should also be sought. The telephone intercourse between Strathcona and Edmonton is now so extensive that the three wires which do service between the two centres are in almost constant use, and in nine cases out of ten, when parties call up either town they are informed that the wires are busy and have to wait until they are disconnected. A couple more wires between the towns are necessary to relieve the congestion and make the day service what it ought to be."

## PERSONAL.

H. Robertson went to Wetaskiwin this morning.

Dr. Brett left on his return to Banff this morning.

John Ross went down the line this morning on a business trip.

Judge Scott and Mrs. Scott left this morning for Calgary.

A. A. Stewart went down the line this morning on a business trip.

Major Decker and the Misses Decker left this morning for Wetaskiwin.

Alex Taylor, E. Raymer and Dr. Wilson returned Saturday night from a trip to the Kootenays.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. James, of Wetaskiwin, spent Sunday in Edmonton, returning south this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Richardson entertained a large number of friends and the members of St. Agnes girls' guild at their home on Friday evening. Progressive pedro was indulged in until a late period of the night. Mr. Pardee took the first prize, and Miss H. V. Phillips and Miss Groat tied for the ladies' first prize. Mr. Bishopric, jr., was awarded the booby prize.

## THE WEATHER.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—Fair, moderately cold weather prevails over the Territories and Manitoba. The outlook is for a continuance of about the same conditions. The temperature, if anything, becoming a little lower.

## WHEAT AND OAT QUOTATIONS

Fort William wheat, No. 1 northern, 81 1-4c per bushel.  
Winnipeg oats, No. 2, white, 30 1-2c per bushel.

## THE WEATHER

January 10th.  
Maximum temperature, 27.  
Minimum temperature, 5.  
Barometer, 29.48.  
January 11th.  
Maximum temperature, 20.  
Minimum temperature, 5.  
Noon, 27.  
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